

Avaluació de diagnòstic ESO segon CURS 2025-2026

competències específiques
de llengua anglesa

Instruccions

- Per respondre a les preguntes de la prova disposes d'un **FULL DE RESPOSTES**.
- **Només hi ha una resposta correcta per a cada pregunta.** Marca amb una X la casella corresponent.
- Per fer la prova utilitza un **bolígraf blau o negre** (tinta no esborrable).
- No facis servir cap corrector (líquid, cinta). Si t'equivoques, segueix les indicacions que trobaràs al full de respostes.

ACTIVITY 1. A NEW CLASSMATE

Susy is a new student at a secondary school in Catalonia. She doesn't speak Catalan and has just started to learn it, but she can communicate in English. Students and teachers are speaking to her in English to help her integrate.

ORAL COMPREHENSION. LISTENING 1

You will hear Listening 1 twice. Listen carefully and choose the correct answer. Now look at the questions for this part. You have 1 minute.

WHERE DO YOU COME FROM?

You will hear Susy talk about herself to her new classmates.

- 1. How old is Susy now? She is _____ years old.**
 - a. 11
 - b. 12
 - c. 13
 - d. 14

- 2. Where was Susy born?**
 - a. Luton.
 - b. London.
 - c. Croydon.
 - d. Manchester.

- 3. What does Susy need more time for?**
 - a. Learning the language fluently.
 - b. Finding a new hobby.
 - c. Making new friends.
 - d. Exploring the city.

ORAL COMPREHENSION. LISTENING 1

4. Why have Susy's parents accepted the job offer?

- a. To stop working in the same company.
- b. For better job opportunities.
- c. To start a new company.
- d. For a change of country.

5. What does Susy like doing in her free time?

- a. Making music.
- b. Swimming.
- c. Dancing.
- d. Skating.

6. Choose the most important reason why Susy and her classmates are having this conversation.

- a. So she can introduce herself.
- b. Her classmates want to interview her.
- c. So she can get to know her classmates.
- d. Her classmates want to practice English.

ORAL COMPREHENSION. LISTENING 2

You will hear Listening 2 twice. Listen carefully and choose the correct answer. Now look at the questions for this part. You have 1 minute.

LET'S WORK TOGETHER!

Marcel is talking to Susy about a presentation for the English class.

7. Marcel...

- a. lets Susy choose a country.
- b. helps Susy with her presentation.
- c. accepts Susy's offer to work together.
- d. offers Susy the chance to work together.

8. Marcel says, "You are asking about the final date, right?" because he is...

- a. clarifying Susy's question.
- b. checking if the date is right.
- c. confirming the submission date.
- d. asking about the presentation date.

9. Why does Marcel write down their names and choice of country on the list? To...

- a. inform the teacher.
- b. start their research.
- c. remember their choice.
- d. make sure no one else takes it.

ORAL COMPREHENSION. LISTENING 2

10. How many grades will they receive for the presentation?

- a. One.
- b. Two.
- c. Three.
- d. Four.

11. Why does Susy thank Marcel for sharing all the information?

Because she...

- a. enjoys working in groups.
- b. is just very nice and polite.
- c. didn't know about the presentation.
- d. needs his help to write the presentation.

ACTIVITY 2. A CLASS PRESENTATION

Marcel and Susy are reading about Canada for their presentation in English class. They have found the following two texts.

READING COMPREHENSION. TEXT 1

Read text 1 and choose the correct answer for each question.

HISTORY OF CANADA



Canada is a very large country in North America that extends from the Atlantic Ocean to the Pacific Ocean and into the Arctic Ocean. It has a great variety of landscapes and climates. It has a population of more than 41 million people who concentrate in urban areas. The capital of Canada is Ottawa, and other important

cities are Toronto, Montreal, and Vancouver.

The first inhabitants* of America crossed the land that separated Asia from America between 15,000 and 30,000 years ago, a land that was not covered by the sea back then. The indigenous peoples of present-day Canada are their descendants and are known as the First Nations, the Inuit, and the Métis.

Around the year 1000, the Viking Leif Eriksson explored the east coast of Canada. He tried to establish a community, but it did not last long. A long time passed until John Cabot explored and claimed Canada's Atlantic coast for King Henry VII of England in 1497. In 1534, King Francis I of France sent Jacques Cartier to conquer land for France.

READING COMPREHENSION. TEXT 1

Cartier heard two indigenous guides from the Iroquois tribe speak the Iroquoian word “*kanata*”, meaning “village”. Soon after, the name of Canada appeared on maps.

There were a lot of territorial conflicts between the French, the British, and the indigenous peoples, and also between farmers and fur traders**, which caused many wars. In 1867, some provinces united to form a country with its own government, parliament, and prime minister. In 1931, Canada became an independent nation.

Adapted from the websites natgeokids.com and canada.ca

GLOSSARY:

***inhabitants**: habitants.

****fur traders**: comerciants de pells d’animal.

12. Which historical figure is associated with the exploration of Canada for England?

- a. Francis I.
- b. John Cabot.
- c. Leif Eriksson.
- d. Jacques Cartier.

13. Which part of the text explains the territorial conflicts in Canada?

- a. The second paragraph.
- b. The introduction.
- c. The conclusion.
- d. The title.

READING COMPREHENSION. TEXT 1

14. What would you draw on the map to illustrate this text?

- a. The routes taken by explorers of Canada.
- b. The economic regions of Canada.
- c. The cultural festivals in Canada.
- d. The modern cities of Canada.

15. The text shows that the country of Canada has...

- a. developed through peaceful negotiations.
- b. been influenced only by indigenous people.
- c. been the same after the Vikings and the British.
- d. developed after a lot of exploration and conflicts.

16. In what order do these events occur?

A. Leif Eriksson explores Canada.	B. Jacques Cartier claims land for France.	C. John Cabot explores Canada.	D. Canada becomes independent.
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- a. B → A → C → D
- b. A → C → B → D
- c. C → A → B → D
- d. A → B → C → D

17. Which of these facts is real?

- a. Canada became independent in 1867.
- b. Jacques Cartier claimed land for Spain.
- c. John Cabot explored the Atlantic coast of Canada in 1497.
- d. Leif Eriksson established a permanent settlement in Canada.

READING COMPREHENSION. TEXT 2

Read text 2 and choose the correct answer for each question.

10 FUN FACTS ABOUT CANADA

1. Canada has more lakes than the rest of the world combined and is home to 10% of the world's forests. Some of its national parks are bigger than entire countries!



Image: Caribou from animalia.bio

2. Canada is home to 2.4 million caribou, and 15,500 of the world's 25,000 polar bears, as well as home to 22 different species of whales.

3. Canada's Great Trail, a network of paths across the country from coast-to-coast-to-coast, is the longest recreational trail in the world. At 24,000 km, it's longer than the Great Wall of China.

4. Canada is a diverse nation that welcomes immigrants. Its population has over 250 different

ethnic origins, which contributes to a rich and vibrant culture.

5. More than half of Canadians have university degrees, making it the world's most well-educated nation.

6. Canada has the world's most northern inhabited place called Alert, in the territory of Nunavut, right next to the North Pole. Santa Claus has his own Canada Post postal code here (H0H 0H0), where kids can send him letters at Christmas.

7. Canada has two official national sports. Ice hockey is the national winter sport and Lacrosse is the national summer sport.



Image: Lacrosse game from pexels.com

READING COMPREHENSION. TEXT 2

8. Canada produces 85% of the world's maple syrup* — and nearly all of it comes from Quebec maples.



Image: Maple syrup by Raffi Asdourian

9. Canada has the most doughnut shops per capita in the world and Canadians consume the most doughnuts of anywhere else in the world.

10. Eight of Canada's nine national museums and galleries are in Ottawa, the capital region of Canada. The ninth is the Canadian Museum for Human Rights in Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Adapted from the website media.canada.travel

GLOSSARY:

***maple syrup**: producte per endolcir extret de l'auró, un arbre caducifoli.

18. According to Fact 1, Canada has more _____ than the rest of the countries in the world.

- a. lakes
- b. forests
- c. animals
- d. national parks

19. In Fact 3, what does the word trail mean?

- a. An athletics track.
- b. A cycle lane.
- c. A motorway.
- d. A route.

READING COMPREHENSION. TEXT 2

20. What is the opinion presented in Fact 4?

- a. The number of ethnic origins in Canada is going up too fast.
- b. Population diversity makes Canada's culture more exciting.
- c. There is excessive diversity in Canada.
- d. Canada needs more population.

21. Why does Santa Claus have a postal code in Canada? To...

- a. promote tourism.
- b. celebrate Christmas.
- c. support the postal service.
- d. receive letters from children.

22. Canada has two official national sports to...

- a. honour its culture.
- b. promote physical activity.
- c. represent different seasons.
- d. support sports development.

23. According to Fact 8, say if these sentences are TRUE or FALSE:

	TRUE	FALSE
23.1 Canada is the leading producer of maple syrup in the world.		
23.2 85% of maple syrup is reserved for Canadians.		
23.3 Maple syrup is an important product for Canada's economy.		

READING COMPREHENSION. TEXT 2

24. Doughnuts are mentioned as a *Fun Fact* about Canada because...

- a. they are a typical desert in Quebec.
- b. their quality is the best and they export them.
- c. Canadians really like doughnuts and eat a lot of them.
- d. Canadian doughnut shops are famous all over the world.

25. According to Fact 10, say if these sentences are TRUE or FALSE:

	TRUE	FALSE
25.1 Ottawa is the capital of Canada.		
25.2 Nine museums are in Manitoba.		
25.3 The Canadian Museum for Human Rights is in Winnipeg.		